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## The Standard.

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## PLAYING WITH DYNAMITE.

The small boy who played with dynamite caps on Sunday afternoon and had his hands mangled and his eyes injured is only one of a great multitude of youngsters who have toyed with explosives and been maimed or killed.

Exploding fulminating caps by striking them with a rock has claimed as many boys as the gun that is not loaded.

Men entrusted with explosives should constantly bear in mind that children are inquisitive and will experiment with anything from a watch to a dynamite cap, and they should place the dangerous material where youngsters cannot get their hands on it. Miners and quarry men at times have been careless in this particular and their lack of forethought has brought endless misery to many boys.

## PROSPERITY AND HOBOES.

With railroad construction companies searching for laborers and other lines of employment in need of workmen, there is no good reason for the presence of tramps, and yet the city jail is crowded with transients who have no visible means of support.

Three years ago many willing men were out of work and could not find employment. At that time the good people of Ogden freely aided the wanderer who asked for something to eat. Today the housewives of this city should be slow to encourage idleness and mendacity by feeding these begging hobo.

The United States government should consider this question of the tramp and proceed to make tramping an undesirable occupation.

The Standard has advocated the establishing of a large government farm

at Ogden, where the transcontinental hobo could be forced to serve some useful purpose; where they could be disciplined and restored to the army of industrious, self-sustaining men.

No one community or state should attempt to turn the current of vagrancy from the highways to industry. It is a government responsibility that should be accepted and worked out.

## SHAPING UP FOR HUGHES.

Oregon, as the latest expression of Republican sentiment, stands overwhelmingly for Hughes for President. There is much Theodore Roosevelt talk in the East, but the drift all over the country today is toward Hughes.

This is explained by the fact that the member of the supreme court from New York state cannot be classed as a standpatter or a progressive, and he appeals to both classes. Hughes could not be bossed while governor of New York. He held to high ideals, though constantly assailed by Barnes. He would make a President free from many of the vicious influences which attach to a political leader who plays with the bosses.

With Wilson on the Democratic side and Hughes on the Republican ticket, the national contest would offer a fine opportunity for forecasters.

## WAR RECALLS LOST CITIES.

On the northern coast of Africa, just west of Egypt, the Austrians had established submarine bases from where the undersea craft raided the ships of the allies moving in the Mediterranean. After a careful search by the Italian fleet, these supply points were discovered and destroyed. Describing that region, which is but little known to modern people, a writer for the Geographic society says the country was known in ancient times as Cyrenaica; the seat of one of the most prosperous Greek colonies of the south. Today this territory, with an area equal to that of Scotland, supports a population of only 250,000, many of whom are nomads. Cyrene, capital of the ancient province, is reputed to have been settled by Battus, who, seeking to avoid political strife in the island of Thera, brought a few colonists to the African shore. He chose the site in accordance with a suggestion from the oracle of Delphi, which commended a place "between waters." The four springs, which furnished an abundance of pure water, on a prominence ten miles from the seashore, was construed to fit this description, after an earlier choice of a barren island had proved unhappy.

Owing to the anti-Christian activities of the powerful and populous Senussi sect of Arabs, exploration of the ruins of Cyrene and her neighbor cities has not been pursued with great thoroughness. In fact, Turkish officials have, as far as possible, curtailed travel of European in this section.

tion of the Ottoman domain. About twelve years ago the site of the ancient capital was visited by a venturesome party of Englishmen who made a hurried excursion, spending a single night amid the dust heaps of departed grandeur, where the only structures that defy the ravages of time are the great tiers of rock tombs. Playing about the lofty Ionic and Doric columns which marked the impressive entrances to these last abodes of the sepulchred great, the visitors found the children of fifty squalid nomad families, sole inheritors of a city of a hundred thousand inhabitants.

## MEASURING THE STRENGTH OF THE NATIONS.

Those who are advocating military preparedness point to the fact that two months after Villa's raid on Columbus, our entire army was unable to prevent another raid on American territory. How far short the United States falls in modern preparedness is pointed out by comparison. The nations which today form the monstrous war machine which is threatening the world, had, at the outbreak of the war, armies of the following war strength:

Germany, 5,500,000; Russia, 5,400,000; France, 5,300,000; Italy, 3,350,000; Great Britain and Colonies, about 2,000,000; Turkey, 1,928,000. Even the smaller countries, most of which are not as large as any one of our small States, had armies many times larger than the United States Army. Belgium had an army of 350,000; Bulgaria of 450,000, and Serbia of 500,000. Thus, Belgium, with 350,000 well equipped and trained soldiers, and Serbia, with 500,000 soldiers, have been practically wiped out.

The comparative wealth of the different nations follows:

United States ..... \$188,000,000,000  
England ..... 85,000,000,000  
Germany ..... 80,000,000,000  
France ..... 50,000,000,000  
Russia ..... 40,000,000,000  
Austria ..... 25,000,000,000  
Italy ..... 20,000,000,000  
Japan ..... 15,000,000,000

Measured by wealth resources, the United States could create a military establishment stronger than the combined forces of Germany and England.

## WHEN ANIMALS ARE MAD.

Reports continue to be received from Nevada indicating the spread of rabies. The Battle Mountain Scout has an account of a mad coyote's attack on a boy, as follows:

"Last Tuesday a coyote appeared at the Dory ranch up Reese river valley, and attempted to enter the house, but was seen in time by Mrs. Dory and the door slammed in its face. The woman called to her son Peter at the back of the house who, snatching up an axe, started toward the front to find the coyote. The boy and coyote met at the corner of the house, and as Peter swung with the axe, the coyote sprang at him. The axe missed its mark but the coyote's teeth caught young Dory through the lower lip and slightly over the eyes. Dory grappled with the maddened animal and succeeded in thrusting it from him and finally killed it with a well directed blow from the axe. James Littler, who has a ranch below the Dorys, was communicated with and he volunteered the services of his Ford in bringing Dory in here where he could take the train to Reno and start on the Pasteur treatment."

Every train in to Reno these days carries Nevadans who have been bitten by coyotes or dogs afflicted with rabies. Those familiar with the history of the rapid spread of the maddened animal will sweep over Utah and Wyoming within a year.

Wyoming has a very large number of coyotes preying on the many bands of sheep in that state and the introduction of rabies would call for a very extensive campaign of coyote killing before the affliction could be controlled.

Here in Utah the task, already begun in Boxelder county, is of no small proportions.

## HOW TO DEFEND THE COUNTRY.

While the plans of national defense are being worked out, this part of the United States must insist on having munition plants, and other factories, placed in the intermountain country as a safeguard.

Had the Germans, in the summer of 1914, directed their armies against the United States instead of moving on Belgium and France, before the people of America could have realized the meaning of the attack, the entire area embraced within the New England states would have been in possession of the Teutons. Three hundred thousand soldiers of the Kaiser could have overwhelmed that part of the United States before our standing army or the National Guard could have been mobilized, and once in control of the New England coast, the enemy would have had at his command all the large ordnance and munition works in that country, and the defeat of the unarmed forces that might be rallied from then on would be an easy task. The lesson to be learned from that study of our national weakness is the necessity of so placing the government's war plants as to make impossible a national disaster of that nature.

With gun and powder works in the intermountain region, no surprise at-

tack from either coast could be made with any prospect of reaching the source of equipment for our armies.

There is a provincialism in the east which makes a New Englander think that all of the United States worthy of consideration is bounded on the west by the Allegheny mountains, and that narrow view has been responsible for all our big government works being established on a fringe of land bordering the Atlantic.

Ogden would be an excellent place for a great government arsenal.

## REAL ENERGY IN OGDEN.

Members of the Ogden Golf and Country club are giving an exemplification of the spirit which has made the name of their virile city a synonym for energy, resourcefulness and initiative. They might have sat supinely down to mourn on Friday after the fire that destroyed their beautiful club house but they did not. They organized a banquet Friday evening, discussed their difficulties, and converted their misfortunes into good fortune by raising money and material enough to build a much better building than before.

Obstacles are only temporary annoyances, to be met and overcome, when they concern the men who are placing Ogden on the map. Difficulties appear to them only as stimulants to renewed exertion and as opportunities for the exercise of their faculties. Whenever there is something to be done in Ogden a party of citizens, of the type found on the Country club membership rolls, gets together, puts it across and hang the expense. There is a moral in this incident, respecting the destruction of the clubhouse and the decision to build a better one, that larger communities than Ogden might ponder with profit. There is never a mishap that cannot be mended except the one final, inevitable mishap that must overtake us all, and the word which describes it has no place in so live a town as Ogden.

## "Damaged Goods" at the Lyceum today. 5c Always 5c.

## CARD OF THANKS

We take this opportunity of expressing our heartfelt thanks to those who so kindly assisted us in our recent bereavement, the loss of our beloved husband and father.

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## J. U. ELDRIDGE, JR., IS TO REMAIN IN OGDEN

Yesterday morning the Salt Lake Herald-Republican announced that J. U. Eldridge, Jr., general manager of The Examiner, would soon remove to Salt Lake City to engage in other business and incidentally to manage the campaign of Gov. Spry for re-election, if the latter reaches the decision to run again for that office. Mr. Eldridge makes denial of the story in the following:

"The article is false in every particular—a lie made out of whole cloth. It was not written in Ogden, its construction indicating its origin in the Herald-Republican's office, and the motive back of it a desire to form a basis for constructing similar stories in the future, when the trend would be an attempt to embarrass me politically or in a business way."

"I was not approached by any representative of the Salt Lake Herald-Republican or given a chance to make denial before the publication of the story. The dishonesty of such publication is thus made apparent."

"I am not intending to remove to

Salt Lake City. I own heavily in the Examiner and will give all my time to building up that paper. I am identified with the interests of Ogden. My home is here. My capital is invested here. I will not accept a position, tie myself up politically or in a business way, or form connections, which will in any way claim any of my time or attention which should be devoted to the newspaper and my Ogden interests.

"While I am for Gov. Spry, should he decide to ask for nomination and re-election, I will not manage his campaign. I believe I have made my denial of the Herald-Republican story as strong and convincing as possible. Those responsible for its publication know better than anyone else the absolute falsity of it."

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## AMUSEMENTS

Orpheum—Virginia Pearson in "Blazing Love," 7 to 11.  
Alhambra—Charlie Chaplin, Hazel Dawn and Sis Hopkins in three features, 2 to 11.  
Ogden—William S. Hart in "The Aryan" and Keystone comedy, 2 to 11.  
Utah—Clara Kimball Young in "The Yellow Passport" and a comedy, 2 to 11.

Oracle—Jane Grey in "Man and His Angel," 12 to 11.  
Lyceum—Richard Bennett in "Damaged Goods," 11 to 11.

Social, Fraternal Societies.  
Martha Society—Mrs. Nora Smith Rowe, M. and M. club.

Stated Fraternal Meetings.  
Knights of Columbus.  
Masonic Federation.  
Royal Neighbors.  
Knights of Pythias.

## SCOTLAND YARD TO HANDLE SPY

New York, May 22.—Chief Inspector Alfred Ward and an assistant from Scotland Yard arrived from Liverpool today to take back to England the self-confessed German spy and former member of the British parliament, Ignatius T. Lincoln. Lincoln is wanted in England to answer to a charge of forgery. His extradition was ordered by the supreme court of the United States after Lincoln appealed to that court on a writ of habeas corpus alleging that the real purpose of his extradition was to try him as a spy in England.

Lincoln was first arrested here in August last year but escaped from jail in the following November and was at liberty until February last when he was re-arrested.

Edna May, "The Belle of New York" comes tomorrow in "Salvation Joan," at The Ogden.

## LIBEL SUIT BROUGHT BY CORRESPONDENT

Berlin, May 22.—A libel action has been begun by Seymour B. Conger, Berlin correspondent of The Associated Press against Edwin A. Emerson, an American newspaper correspondent, now in Berlin, based on an article by Emerson in the Continental Times, a newspaper published here in the English language. The article intimates that Mr. Conger and Ambassador Gerard were responsible for "the betrayal" of Sir Roger Casement to the British. The article insinuates that Mr. Conger received knowledge of Casement's plans which he communicated to Ambassador Gerard who in turn cabled it to Washington from where it was transmitted as a warning to London.

Mr. Conger enters a general denial of the insinuations made by the ar-

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## UTAH CLUB WOMEN REACH NEW YORK

New York, May 22.—Local delegates to the Biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's clubs are busy today welcoming clubwomen from the West and South at the railroad and steamship terminals. About 5,000 club women are here already and 15,000 are expected. Delegations from Texas, Utah and Oregon left special trains at Albany this morning. More than 1000 husbands of the club members have registered with the Commission on Husbands and the sup-

## ROOSEVELT CALLED IN RIGGS TRIAL

Washington, May 22.—Theodore Roosevelt will come to Washington tomorrow to testify at the perjury trial here of the tree Riggs National bank officers. His secretary today graphed the bankers' counsel telegraphed that Colonel Roosevelt would be on hand when called as a character witness in behalf of C. C. Glover, the bank's president, one of the indicted men.

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Hazel Dawn,  
"The Feud Girl" . . . 2:30  
Chaplin, "The Floorwalker" . . . 3:45  
"Lucky Mistake" . . . 4:15  
"The Feud Girl" . . . 4:30  
"Floorwalker" . . . 5:45  
"Lucky Mistake" . . . 6:15  
"Feud Girl" . . . 6:50  
"Floorwalker" . . . 8:05  
"Lucky Mistake" . . . 8:35  
"Feud Girl" . . . 8:55  
"Floorwalker" . . . 10:10  
"Lucky Mistake" . . . 10:40

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